

HOGAN & HARTSON L.L.P.

500 SOUTH GRAND AVENUE
SUITE 1900
LOS ANGELES, CA 90071

Tel.: (213) 337-6700
Fax: (213) 337-6701

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JAN 04 2006

WASHINGTON, DC
BRUSSELS
BUDAPEST*
LONDON
MOSCOW
PARIS*
PRAGUE*
TOKYO
WARSAW
BALTIMORE, MD
BOULDER, CO
COLORADO SPRINGS, CO
DENVER, CO
IRVINE, CA
McLEAN, VA
MIAMI, FL
NEW YORK, NY (PARK AVE)
NEW YORK, NY (THIRD AVE)
ROCKVILLE, MD

*Affiliated Office

IMPORTANT NOTICE TELECOPY/FACSIMILE COVER LETTER

TO: U.S. Patent and Trademark Office
Examiner: Karen B. Addison
Art Unit: 2834

DATE: January 4, 2006

FROM: Lawrence J. McClure

TIME: _____

TOTAL NO. OF PAGES, INCLUDING COVER: 16

The attached information is CONFIDENTIAL and is intended only for the use of the addressee(s) named above. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient(s) or the employee or agent responsible for delivering the message to the intended recipient(s), please note that any dissemination, distribution or copying of this communication is strictly prohibited. Anyone who receives this communication in error should notify us immediately by telephone and return the original message to us at the above address via the U.S. Mail.

MESSAGE:

U.S. Patent Application Serial No.: 10/628,881; Our Ref. 81872.0049

I hereby certify that the following documents:

- Amendment/Amendment Transmittal Letter

are being facsimile transmitted to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, for filing in the above application.

January 4, 2006
Date of Deposit


Diane Zynn

TELECOPY/FAX NUMBER: (571) 273-8300 (Art Unit 2834)

CLIENT NUMBER: 81872.0049

ATTORNEY BILLING NUMBER: 1966

CONFIRMATION NUMBER: (please return fax to Diane Zynn)

FORM PTO-1083

Attorney Docket No. 81872.0049

Patent Application No. 10/628,881

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTERIn re application of:
Mitsutaka SHIMADA, et al.

Serial No: 10/628,881

Confirmation No.: 3871

Filed: July 28, 2003

For: SURFACE ACOUSTIC WAVE DEVICE AND METHOD
FOR MANUFACTURING SAME

Art Unit: 2834

Examiner: Karen B. Addison

JAN 04 2006

I hereby certify that this correspondence
is being transmitted via facsimile to
(571) 273-8300:Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

January 4, 2006

Date of Deposit

Diane Zynn

Name

Signature

01/04/06

Date

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(Col. 2) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		(Col. 3) PRESENT EXTRA*	LG/SM \$ ENTITY FEE	ADD'L FEE DUE
TOTAL CLAIMS FEE	11	-	21	"	0	LG=\$50 SM=\$25	\$ 0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS FEE	3	-	3	***	0	LG=\$200 SM=\$100	\$ 0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS						LARGE ENTITY FEE = \$380 SMALL ENTITY FEE = \$180	\$ 0
ADDITIONAL SIZE FEE (IF ANY) (TOTAL PAGES OF SPEC AND DRAWINGS TOGETHER)						\$250 FOR EACH ADDITIONAL 50 SHEETS	\$ 0
Independent Claims: 1, 7, 22						TOTAL	\$ 0

* If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.

** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

*** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space. The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box on Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

☐ Please charge the fee of \$___ for the additional claim fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.☐ Please charge the fee of \$___ for the extension of time to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies of fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1314. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.☒ Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17Respectfully submitted,
HOGAN & HARTSON L.L.P.

By:

Lawrence J. McElure
Registration No. 44,228
Attorney for Applicant(s)

Date: January 4, 2006

Biltmore Tower
500 South Grand Avenue, Suite 1900
Los Angeles, California 90071
Telephone: 213 337-6700
Facsimile: 213 337-6701

Appl. No. 10/628,881
Amdt. Dated January 4, 2006
Reply to Office Action of October 5, 2005

Attorney Docket No. 81872.0049
Customer No.: 26021

RECEIVED
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JAN 04 2006

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Mitsutaka SHIMADA, et al.

Serial No: 10/628,881

Confirmation No.: 3871

Filed: July 28, 2003

For: SURFACE ACOUSTIC WAVE
DEVICE AND METHOD FOR
MANUFACTURING SAME

Art Unit: 2834

Examiner: Karen B. Addison

I hereby certify that this correspondence
is being transmitted via facsimile to
(571) 273-8300:
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

January 4, 2006

Date of Deposit

Diane Zynn

Name

Signature

01/04/06

Date

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 5, 2005, please amend the
above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.